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Jail Breaker Away Again

Convict Jones of Westminster Foois the Terminal City

Mr. R. B. Seabrook Recipient of Handsome Souvenir From Former Co-Workers.

Petition to Wind Up Associated Canneries Company Dismissed.

Vancouver, April 8.—Jones, the jail-breaker, is away again. Westminster jail could not hold him, and it is unreasonable to suppose that the city lock-up could. His escape was very cleverly executed, and the chief is so astounded at his escape with Jailor Crawford sitting on the other side of the door, with but a thin partition between them, that he has suspended that officer pending an investigation. It happened, however, that while the youth Jones, who is but 21 years old was working at the iron bars of his cell, a drunken Indian 7as yelling and pounding at a cell door, thus drowning the noise. Jones made a bianket rope of 20 feet long, tying a hook on the end, made from the nandle of the cell slop bucket. With this hook he prized off the wood which the iron bars were let into, and tied one of the bars to the end of the rope to weight it. He then crawled through the hole left after the bars were extracted, the hole being 9x12 inches. Reaching the kitchen, he broke the lock, finding more iron bars four feet long in the kitchen window. He bent them sufficient to squeeze his body through, and throwing the hook at the end of his rope on top of the 20-foot fence, he scrambled up and escaped.

The petition of the B. C. Packers Association to have the united canneries of British Columbia wound up has been dismissed. The former are stockholders in the U. C. C. Company, which controls the canneries on the Gulf, English bay and the Fraser.

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A rough-looking character said to answer the description of the missing jail-breaker Clark, walked up to the residence of Mrs. Dragovich, 187 Dunsmuir street, and after using abusive language, whipped out a revolver and fired two shots, both of them going close to Mrs. Dragovich, It is thought that the man's intention was to frighten Mrs. Dragovich into quiescence while he committed a burglary on the premises. He changed his mind, however, and ran away.

away.

A very pleasant affair took place at the Albion Iron Works offices yester-A very pleasant affair took place at the Albion Iron Works offices yesterday, when Mr. Bagster R. Seabrook, late general manager of that company, was presented with a beautifully illuminated address and a handsome souvenir for Mrs. Seabrook. Mr. Seabrook has been connected with the company for 20 years, and by his courtes to the employees and his kindness of heart displayed on innumerable occasions, which are now recalled and talked over by the employees, who are rejuctantly forced to hid him an official farewell, Mr. Seabrook gained the esteem of all those with whom he was associated. Thus it is that the Vancouver employees took pleasure in remind-

not to bonus the proposition, it being their rule to advance no monetory aid to persons contemplating establishing industries in the municipality.

A bylaw is to be submitted to the rulepayers of North Vancouver authorizing the taking over of the North Vancouver ferry system by A. St. G. Hammersley and associates. It will be read a first time at a meeting to be called at an early date.

NOBLY WON

King Confers Rank of Field Marshal on the Hero of Ladysmith.

Gibraltar, April 8.—King Edward was present tonight at a state banquet given by Sir Geo. Stuart White, the Governor of Gibraltar, and the defender of Ladysmith during the South African war. During the banquet the King announced that he promoted Sir Geo. Stuart White to the rank of Field Marshal.

PARTRIDGE FOR CARACAS. Official Appointed to Adjust American Venezuelan Claims,

Washington, April S.—Frank C. Partridge of Vermont has been invited to represent the United States in the capacity of agent at Caracas in the adjustment of the claims of American citizens against Venezuela.

Mr. Partridge was at one time United States minister to Venezuela, and also solicitor of the Department of State.

NEWFOUNDLAND SEALERS. Another Steamer Returns-Attempt to

Thaw Out Island Railway.

St. John's, Nfld., April S.—The sealing steamer Windward arrived here today with over 2,000 seals. The railway company began today an attempt to open up the Western section of the line so as to enable provisions to be conveyed to those settlements which are short of food. The steamers are upable to reach them, as the Gulf of St. Lawrence is full of ice.

Honduras Rebels Practically in Control of the Country.

Panama, April S.—A despatch from Honduras received via San Salvador, announces that General Sierra abandon-lieved he will flee to Salvador. The conveyed to those settlements which are short of food. The steamers are upable to reach them, as the Gulf of St. Lawrence is full of ice.

MANITOBA NOMINATIONS.

Winnipeg, April S.—The Conservatives of South Winnipeg tonight renominated J. T. Gordon as candidate for legislature today. The Liberals today nominated three candidates, M. Comeault, to oppose Attorney-General Campbell in Morris; Geo. B. Montieth, barrister for Killarney, and M. Jerome, for Carillion.

PASTOR'S ACTION FAILED.

Court Declined to Make Fair Suitor Give Security For Costs.

Hamilton, April 8.—Rev. Thomas Geoghagen, rector of St. Peters' church, who is being sued by Miss Annie Hare, now of Toronto for \$10,000 for breach of promise of marriage, failed today in an application to compel her to gve \$460 security for costs before trial.

ITALIAN INDEMNITY,

Money For Families of Those Lynched by American Mob.

Rome, April 8.—The Italian ambassa-dor at Washington, Signor Desplanehes, has officially notified the Foreign Office here that he has received \$5,000 in-demnity for the families of the Italians who were lynched or injured at Edwin, Wis., in July, 1901.

BUST FOR UNITED STATES.

Bronze Replica of Washinton as Gitt From French Nation.

Paris, April 8.-A committee has been



THE KING OF SERVIA.

Has Been Stirring Things up or His Little Balkan State.

BRIDGE WHICH WILL TAKE THE GREAT NORTHERN INTO VANCOUVER, B. C.

HOLYHEAD AS PORT.

Advantages to Be Laid Before Cana-dian Government by Mr. Cham-berlain,

Montreal, April 8.—The Witness London cable says in the House of Commons today, Mr. Chamberlain announced that he was prepared to lay representations in regard to the advantages of Holyhead as a port for the Canadian fast line before the Canadian government.

SEEK SOUTH DAKOTA.

Klondike Company Abandon Jersey City for Western Incorporation,

New York, April 8.—The stock holders of the Joseph Ladue Gold Mining & Development Company at a meeting in Jersey City today, voted in favor of dissolving the company and reinco-porating in South Dakota.

SQUEEZING CHINA.

Americans Reserve Right to Demand

House Rises For Easter

Ottawa Legislators Take the **Usual Recess Until Next** Week.

Joint Committee to Work on Reformation of Election Abuses.

American Capitalists Seek Incorporation As Telephone-Telegraph Company.

Americans Reserve Ind.

Indemnity in Gold.

Washington, D. C., April S.—The instructions of the United States Department of State to its representative in China, who is conducting the negotiations relative to the settlement of the indemnity, is to look to the retention of independence while faithfully carrying out the engagements entered into by the United States in the Dekin agreement. Consequently the bond which China will deliver to this agent will stipulate simply for the payments of the installments of the indemnity on the basis of exchange at the date the agreement was signed in 1900. Whether the United States will exact the payments of the United States will exact the payments of the installments of the indemnity on the basis of exchange at the date the agree ment was signed in 1900. Whether the United States will exact the payments of its gold or silver, concerns no other nation, and the other nations party to the agreement are permitted, likewise, in to exercise their discretion as to the basis upon which they will settle.

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Premier Laurier annuanced that if convenient to the opposition, the second reading of the redistribution bill would be taken up next Tuesday.

Mr. Borden was informed by the Premier that the statement made in the government organs that the transportation commission had been appointed was not correct. No appointments had been made.

In reply to a question by Mr. Earle, Hon. Mr. Prefontaine announced that the report of the commission to inquire into British Columbia fisheries would be into British Columbia fisheries would be ready in a few days.

'Mr. Davis was told that the amount of lands granted in Manitoba and the Northwest Territories as subsidies to railways is 56,087,872 acres. Of these 29,986,827 acres have been earned. No land subsidies have been granted since 1830.

Application for incorporation as a Canadian telegraph and telephone com-pany is made by Scranton and Phil-adelphia capitalists.

STRIKE SETTLED. Cotton Mill Hands in New Brunswick

St. Stephen, N. B., April S.—A strike of the employees of the Canadian coton mills, which commenced about a nonth ago, and involved 800 employees, us, sheep settled through the interest.

ROOSEVELT AT A NEW STUDY

President Takes Sixteen Day's Rest and Studies Strange Animals.

Cinibar, Mont., April S.—President Roosevelt is in Yellowstone Park, and for the next 16 days expects to enjoy complete rest and cessation from public duty. He will be in almost daily communication with Secretary Loeb at Cinibar, but nothing except of the utmost importance will be referred to him. In company with John Barrughs, the naturalist, who accompanies him from Washington, he will study closely the nature of the various animals that inhabit the park.

Northern from Cloverdale to Port Guifion. The branch me of the various and the chon, is being built as fast as possible, and it looks as if it would be completed in time to furnish the much desired connection for which Victoria voted a hand, some bonus. On this side of the river, gangs of men as they are relieved from the other, are pushing the grading of the proposed short line between New Westminster and Vancouver, giving the Great Northern an entrance via the Westminster bridge and this short line into the Terminal City.

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FOR WESTERN GRAIN FIELDS

Allan Liner Lands Hundreds of British Emigrants for Western Points.

From Our Own Correspondent.

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Halifax, April 8.—The Allan liner Numidian, Captain Main, arrived tonight at 9 o'clock from Liverpool and Moville, with weekly mails and 48 saloon and 137 second cabin and 777 steerage passengers. About 200 are bound for United States points, and the remainder go to Western Canada, Winnipeg, and the Territories. They are mostly Scottish and English, with a sprinkling of foreigners. A large portion of them are young men, and many are mechanics. The majority are going to take up farming. are mechanics. The to take up farming.

CLEVER INVENTION.

Torontonian Claims to Have Patent That Will Revolutionize Electric

Toronto, April 8.—A. W. Stark, who has been for several years in the service of the Bell Telephone Company of this city, has patented a device which, if successful, will completely revolutionize all electric services for residences, offices and factories. Under his patent, Mr. Stark undertakes to supply power and light over the same circuit.

WORK ON BRIDGE OVER THE FRASER AT NEW WESTMINSTER

account to be called at the state of the sta

London, April 8.—Sir Wm. McMillan, in an address before the Austratian Chamber of Commerce yesterday, vigorously condemned the attempt to prevent British workmen from landing in Australia, and his remarks may also apply to the efforts put forth by labor men in Canada to prevent British artisans from landing in that colony.

CANADA A GREAT STATE. Socialist Points Out Fact That Domin-

London, April 8.—Benjamin Kidd, a well known Socialist, in a paper read before the Royal Colonial Institute, remarked on the fact that Canada was still twitted with being a colony, having not yet reached years of discretion; but he declared Canada was already a great state.

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GENERAL SIERRA FLEES. Honduras Rebels Practically in Control

Work proceeding on the piers upon which the double-decked structure spanning the Fraser River at New

West-ninster wil rest.

Miner Killed

Fall of Rock Strikes Worker And Death Is Instantaneous.

Many Cumberland Men Jain the Western Federation of Miners.

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ATLANTIC SHIP COMBINE.

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On Monday afternoon and evening this morning a fatal accident occurred the mines here by which William H. Piper, a miner about 57 years of age. lost his life. Deceased and Edward Tunnah were working in a very high and consequently dangerous place when mass of rock fell, crushing the life out of Piper, one of whose legs was completely severed from his body. Death with slight injuries to his shoulder. Deceased was a Staffordshire man, and had with slight injuries to his shoulder. Deceased was a Staffordshire man, and had with slight injuries to his shoulder. Deceased was a Staffordshire man, and had with slight injuries to his shoulder. Deceased was a Staffordshire man, and had with slight injuries to his shoulder. Deceased was a Staffordshire man, and had with slight injuries to his shoulder. Deceased was a Staffordshire man, and had with slight injuries to his shoulder. Deceased was a Staffordshire man, and had with slight injuries to his shoulder. Deceased and Edward Tunnah were working in a very high and consequently dangerous place when mass of rock fell, crushing the life out the mines here by which William H. Piper, one of whose legs was completely severed from his body. Death mass of rock fell, crushing the life out the mines here b

from blame.

On Monday afternoon and evening, largely attended meetings of the Farmers' Institute took place at Parksville. In the afternoon Hon, C. L. Smith lectured on "Mixed Farming," and in the evening on "Home Making," Dr. Tolmie gave a very valuable object lesson out of doors on the horse. Mr. Smith laid special cuphasis on the despised hen, declaring her the cheapest converter of raw into manufactured material to be found. Asked by a farmer how that came about with eggs at 20 cents a dozen, and wheat at two cents a pound the lecturer rapidly produced some calculations on a blackboard showing that even at the figure named the wheat be-

came eggs at a cost of six cents a dozen. He urged the farmers to grow their own feed, and not to be obliged to buy it at such high prices. Lecturing on "Home Making," he roundly told his hearers that it was their own fault their children did not stay on the farm. The fathers continually told the sons that the farmer was the worst paid worker alive, and the mothers urged their daughters to marry a dry goods clerk, a school teacher, or anyone rather than a tiller of the soil.

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teacher, or anyone rather than a tiller of the soil.

Advices from Cumberland state that over 250 miners have jo ned the Western Federation there. This includes nearly all the white men employed underground. The white toplands, however, are coming in slowly. The leaders are urging the men to refrain from all acts that will tend to cause trouble. James Baker, the organizer, arrived in Nanaimo this afternoon.

Somethier is doing in the Liberal camphere, a special meeting having been hurrically called of the Martinite wing of the party. There are, or were, two Liberal Associations here, one of which fought the other on the ground of its labor heresies, while the second fought the first because of its adhesion to Martin and Melnnes. The latter combination was admitted at the Vancouver convention, since when little has been heard of the Labor-Liberal group.

STOCK EXCHANGE FAILURE. London, April 8.—The failure of Chas, Jocelyn Morrison was announced in the Stock Exchange.

NOTABLE DEATHS.

vice of the Bell Telephone Company of this city, has patented a device which, for the township of North oxford, is dead, aged 102 years.

Forest, Ont., April S.—Fred, Lancaster, of Canache, was found hanging in the barn of George Coombs, near here, yesterday. It was a case of suicide.

Lakefield, April S.—Harry Smith, a Grand Trunk brakeman, was run over and killed while shunting cars here yesterday.

Milt n. Mass., April S.—Henry Van Brunt, the well known architect and tesigner of the Electricity building at the World's Fair, died here today.

Carpenters At Work Again

The Terminal City Workers leave Increase of pay to Arbitration.

Branch of Provincial Miners Association elect officers and Executive.

THE AFFAIRE DREYFUS.

Justice May at Last Be Done the Unfortunate,

Paris, April 8.—It seems that the debate in the Chamber of Deputies yesterday and today, which resulted by a vote of 281 to 228 in the invalidation of the election of the Nationalist deputy, Syveton, is likely also to lead to the reopening of the Dreyfus case, and perhaps to the rehabilitation of the former prisoner of Devil's Island. This is mainly due to two facts brought out by the Socialist leader, M. Jaures, in the course of the debate. One is a falsified document bearing the alleged annotations by the German Emperor, which were forgeries, and which helped to convict Dreyfus, and the other is that the letter written by Gen. Pellieux to IM. Cavaignae, when the latter was warminister in 1898, was suppressed. This letter was written just after the discovery of Col. Henry's forgery, and reads as follows:

"Duped by men without honor, unable any longer to count on the confidence of my subordinates, without which it is impossible to command, and on my side being unable to feel confidence in those of my chief's who have made me work with forgers, I ask to be retired."

Vancouver, April S. — The Vancouver branch of the Provincial Miners' Association met tonight and elected C. D. Rand, president, J. Woodside, vice-president, and the following executive: Dr. Reynolds, publisher of the Ledger; Geo. Turner, T. J. Smith, B. P. Gillman, A. St. G. Hamerseky, C. Sweeney, W. D. Haywood, Dr. Carroll, A. Hirschfeld, W. K. Robertson, H. T. Lockyer and Wm. Godfrey. The carpenters' strike has been declared off, the men going back to work tomorrow. The difference between the builders and carpenters as to whether the minimum was to be \$3.00 or \$3.20 a day is to be submitted to arbitration.

EDWARD BLAKE'S SYMPATHY.

London, April S. — The Vancouver of the Ledger; Geo. Turner, T. J. Smith, J. W. Jaures' speech in the Chamber resounding with cries of "Traitor." "Go to Berlin." and other shouts, drowning the speaker's voice. M. Jaures finally concluded with the assertion that "the Republicans have the right to condemn this algominable campain against the republic and to denonstrate to the deening Nationalist party that its attitude today cannot excuse its evil deeds of yesterday. If the Chamber of our regime."

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"Resolved, that the Victoria Liberal Association is opposed to the calling of another provincial Liberal convention."

By the passing of the above resolution, the Liberals of Victoria at an adjourned meeting of the Liberal Association, held last night, "turned down" the movement aiming at the calling of another provincial convention which has engrossed the attention of every Liberal camp in the province for some weeks past.

The meeting was held in Labor Hall and there was a good attendance. Vice-President John Taylor occupied the chair. The object of the gathering was

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As the two boats rounded the Erin, spinnakers were set for the next run to the Shambles. Smarter work on board Shamrock L enabled her to make up 20 seconds of lost ground. They made

fairly level racing down the wind, the challenger not gaining appreciably in the first couple of miles. The wind held fresh and fairly stendy, allowing an ionest trial of speed. Both boats were equally served by the wind and sailing practically in the same water took a little over 50 minutes to run the seven miles, and the boats turned the Shambles on the second round as follows: Shamrock III., 12:42:37; Shamrock I, 12:44:57.

All sheets were brought aboard again as the boats headed home, looking as though, with the breeze more Westerly, they might fetch through. The challenger gradually increased the gap. The yachts trimmed in as close as they could lie to a fine steady breeze and both made short work of the journey, doing about 12 knots. Shamrock III., pulled ahead the whole time, gaining three minutes from mark to mark. The yachts finished the second round as follows: Shamrock III., 1:33:58.

After a short break to enable George Watson to land from the challenger, the boats were sent off on another spinnater run seaward.

This was the start of a second race. Shamrock III., which had a short lead in starting, widened the gap. The mark was turned on the round as follows: Shamrock III., 2:20.05; Shamrock I., 2:30:17. This was a gain of about a minute for the new yacht in the seven miles.

A couple of long tacks brought them home. Jib topsails were set and the

aminute for the new yacht in the seven miles.

A couple of long tacks brought them home. Jib topsails were set and the challenger rapidly opened out a long lead, seemingly being well suited for the freshening wind.

The times at the finish of the day's work were: Shamrock III., 3:28:10; Shamrock I, 3:33:18. The new boat had thus beaten Shamrock II, four minutes over the last turn to windward.

Weymouth, Eng., April 8.—Designer Geo. T. Watson, afore the trial, said he certainly did not like the challenger on her first turn to leeward today, but her after performance he thought made ample amendment. Her work, he said, was up to his best expectations, and he looked for further improvement. Sail-maker Ratsey refused to answer the questions of interviewers, but admitted that the challenger's performance were a tale of a very different kind to that written by Shamrock II. It is arranged, if the conditions suit, to send the yachts tomorrow over a measured American cap course, 15 miles to leeward and return.

the Permanent Way.

Montreal, April 8.—In order that all the wooden bridges along the Canadian Pacific railway line to the Pacific Coast may be replaced by steel bridges as soon as possible, the management has contracted for the construction of two hundred and forty steel bridges, ail of which are to be delivered duting the present year. The bridges may vary in length from twenty to one hundred feet. The companies that have secured contracts are the followink; Canada Foundry Co., 69; Dominion Bridge Co., 169; Hamilton Bridge Co., 11, and the King Bridge Co., 2 bridges.

FOR ASSAULTING CHINESE BOY

Seven Boys Have Been Summoned to Appear in Police Court, Saturday.

The boys who are alleged to have assaulted the Chinese boy Hey and caused him to fall beneath the street car on Fort street, as a result of which he suffered injuries causing the amputation of his foot, have been summoned to appear in the police court on Saturday morning to answer to the charge of assault. Seven boys have been summoned in all. The Chinese boy was said to have been walking down Fort street some months ago when some of the boys struck at him, and he backed into the street and fell beneath the street car. The wheel caught his foot, which had to be amputated. A subscription was made at the Colonist office on behalf of the unfortunate Chinese boy, and several hundred dollars was subscribed.

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P. Luxton, "Okefield," Rockland avenue, of a daughter.

BISHOP—At the residence of her son, Mr. H. F. Bishop, No. 84 John street, Rock Bay, on the Sth Instant, Eliza Elizabeth, reliet of the late Caleb Bishop, a native of Portsmouth, Hamshire, England, aged 75 years and 6 months.

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MARINE NOTES.

Steamer City of Puebla arrived from San Francisco last night after an uneventful passage. Sne landed 90 tons of general freegnt at the occan docks. Steamer Tees wid sail tonight for Naas

and way ports.
Steamer Boscowitz will sall for Naas and way ports tonight.

MARINE MOVEMENTS.

Port Townsend—April 6, outward, Br sh Penthesilea, from Seattle for Fremantle. Tacoma—April 6, arrived, str Leclanaw, from San Francisco—April 7, salled, str Monara, for Seattle; April 7, schr Zampa, for Glawack; schr Monterey, for whalling; str 6, C. Lindauer, for Grays harbor. Delagoa Bay—April 3, arrived, bktn Ladina, from Port Blakeley. Honolulu—April 4, arrived, str America, from Seattle.

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Tatoosh, 6 p. m.—Cloudy, southwest whiled, four miles an hour. Inward, steamers Conemaugh, from Seattle for Victoria and Tacona; City of Puebla for Victoria. Outward, brig W. G. Irwin, for San Francisco. Schooner Stlimson for San Pedro. Steamer Norman Isles for Nanaimo. China ships Tarvenbeke for United Kingdom; Penthesilea, for Freemantle; Wendur from Chemainus for South Africa; barks Schurbek, from Chemainus for Liverpool.

SHIPPING NEWS.

STEAM. From Liverpool.

China Mutual Line—chilles (Whitams), 7043... canfa (new) (Davis) 4879 (new (Butt) 4478

Northern Pacific Liner's Good Run From Yokohama to This Port.

Columbia May Be Sold as She Now Lies in Esquimalt Harbor.

Steamer Victoria, of the Northern Pacific line, which arrived at the ocean docks yesterday from the Orient, made a very fast passage. The Northern Pacific liner was 12 days 8 hours in making the run from Yokohama to Victoria. She left two days later than the Aki Maru, which arrived the previous evening. The steamer had an uneventful passage, moderate weather being encountered throughout. The passengers included two Japanese in the saloon and 98 Chinese, of whom 73 deburked at this port, as well as 12 Japanege. There were 25 Chinese and five Japanese for Tacoma and points beyond. The cargo included 1,400 tons of through freight, including a heavy s.ipment of silk goods, tea. rice, matting, etc. The local cargo amounted to 350 tons, and after landing this the steamer will proceed this morning to Tacoma.

As a result of the recent proposed increase to the poll tax, on incoming Chinese, the steamers now leaving Hongkong will bring numbers of the Celestials. The steamer Indrasaman of the Portland and Asiatic line, which is running to Portland from the Orient, has been placed on the run to Victoria with the other liners to carry the Chinese passengers. The sole reason of the despatch of the big Portland liner to this port—she left Yokohama on Sunday for this port—is to carry the cooles who are seeking passage.

There are now quite a fleet of vessels en route to Victoria, The steamer Lyra left on Thursday last. The steamer Lyra left on Thursday last. The steamer Lyra left on Thursday last. The steamer Shinano Maru, left on Tuesday, and is due on the 20th. The China Mutual liner Onnfa is about to leave Yokohama, being due about the 23rd. The steamer Miowera, of the Canadian-Australian line, which is due here next Wednesday, left Honolulu yesterday for this port.

THE AKI MARU.

Details Regarding the New Liner of N. Y. K. Line.

The steamer Aki Maru of the N. Y. K. line, left for the Sound yesterday morning after discharging her local cargo. She is a twin-screw steel steamer, having two masts, with a length between perpendiculars of 445 ft.; breadth moulded, 49 ft. 2 in.; depth moulded, 33 ft. 6 in.; load draft, 26 ft.; gross tonage, 5,444 tons; net tonage, 3,995 tons; dead weight capacity, 7,540 tons; cargo capacity (measurement), 7,338 tons; accommodations, 50 cabin passengers, 20 intermediate passengers, 172 steerage passengers, She carries a crew of 115 (inclusive of capatain.) Her engines are tiri-compound condensing, she has four cylindrical bollers, working up to an indicated horse power of 5,320, with a maximum speed of 15,36 knots. This steamer was built in accordance with the Imperial Japanese government's shipbuilding regulations for superior craft and registered at British Lloyd's 100, A-1, modelled on the modern principle, coupled with every convenience necessary for a first class ship. She is lighted throughout by electric light, and provided with refrigerating machinery as well as spacious ice chambers for purifying the air; steam heaters for warming in winter, and electric fans for cooling in summer in brief, is provided with every requisite necessary for the comfort and safety of passengers. She is also provided with a powerful winch, capable of raising and lowering with ease heavy cargo up to 30 tons.

THE COLUMBIA. steamer Aki Maru of the N. Y.

usually gives her up as gone. Eighty per cent, re-insurance is also being offered on the Prince George, 54 days out from Darien, Ga., for Swansea, Wales. The big Nippon Yusen Kaisha liner Iyo Marn carried \$500,000 worth to the larger cities of Japan and China. Her carso includes cotton sheeting, valued at \$229,236; 16,538 barrels of flour, 228-250 pounds of cotton, 28,907 pounds of cigarettes, a consignment of bar silver and several hundred tons of general merchandise.

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It is not unlikely that the German ship Columbia, which is lying at Esquimalt in such a wrecked condition, her decks littered with wreckage, the iron searred and dented by the buffeting she received, will be sold at auction to the highest bidder. The vessel is practically a constructive wreck. After having fibeled the steamer, through the local agent, Mr. J. H. Greer, the steam Norman Isles proceeded on her voyage to Dalny yesterday morning. The Cambia, which is a large carrier, was formerly known as the British ship Lord Wolsely. Her charter to load at Chemainus will in all probability be cancelled, and another vessel secured to carry the cargo which she was to have taken.

The French bark De Couedic is practically given up as lost, for today Lloyd's offered 80 per cent, to re-insure her. She is out 104 days from San Francisco for Sydney. It is possible that she may have been dismantled as was the Columbia, and may be drifting around the South seas. When the English underwriters offer 80 per cent, on an overdue vessel the shipping world usually gives her up as gone. Eighty per cent, re-insurance is also being offered on the Prince George, 54 days out from Darlen, Ga., for Swansea, Wales.

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impress of India, steamer (Archibald); P. R. . P. R. Saga, steamer: disengaged. SEALERS ENGAGED IN HUNTING Florence M. Smith (M. Ryan); salle ct. 10. E. B. Marvin (J. Anderson); salled Oct.

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Greegock,
Lake Leman—Salled Sept. 25, Chemainus
for Valparaiso,
Oregon—Sahed, Nov. 8th, Chemainus for OUTWARD SALMON SHIPS.

Marian Woodside-Salied, Oct. 7, Fraser lver for Liverpool, 67,497 cases. Ar. Feb. river for Liverpoot, 07,007 values.

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Cambrian Hills—Salied, Oct. 24, Victoria for Liverpool, 67,263 cuses.

Aberfovic—Salied, Oct. 30, Fraser River for Liverpool, 67,263 cases Ar March 15th Pass of Kilmerantic—Salied, Nov. 24, Fraser river for Liverpool, 55,101 cases.

Harold—Salied, No. 29, Fraser river for Liverpool, 55,773 cases.

SPORTING NEWS.

RUGBY FOOTBALL

the Collegiate Rugby juniors find that will not be able to play the Capituds food Friday, the Victoria juniors will Facir place, and the game will come at the Caledonia grounds at 3 o'clock, amounced before in this paper.

LACROSSE.

cral routine work which crops up the first of the season.

The team has decided not to give an exhibition game on Good Friday, but are anxiously awaiting the arrival of the new sticks, when they hope to get in line and put the stick handlers in good condition for their first game which will likely take place on the 24th May.

The citizens will shortly be able to become members of the club as there will be membership tickets issued which may be procured at a reduced figure.

Amatch was played last night between the Army and Navy Clgar Store and the James Bay clubs, the former winning by 10 points. The total scores were: Army and Navy, 941. James Bay Club, 931, The bighest percentage were made by North and Richardson, 9 1-6, and Anderson and Bluns, 7 5-6, both of the Army and Navy Ceam.

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Carlotta G. Cox (A. Nelson): sailed Jan. 16.
Allie I. Algar (A. St. Clair): sailed Jan. 21.
Limber (M. Heater): sailed Jan. 21.
Enterprise (A. B. Widden): sailed Jan. 23.
Dora Siewerd (H. Blakstad): sailed Jan. 23.
Ann'e E. Praint (R. McKlel): sailed Jan. 26.
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G. W. Prescott, wrecked March 10th, 81 skins; saves 22.
EFRS SPOKEN
Geneva, off Ounu, Feb. 18. Seven mendosrred. Schooner leaking and will return for Valimariaso: 737,633 feet.
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Nov. 25. Chemainus for The Civic Cadi And His Court

Assaults by Striking Steamboatmen Ventilated---Six-Weeks For One.

McCallum Couldn't Tell Good Story---The Chinaman Who ttad One More Think.

The strikers held the attention of the Cadi yesterday. James McKinnon got six weeks with hard labor for having punched him: Vangelon, a non-union sailor. The magistrate read many sections of the code to min which would have each thin a reactive residence at Topaz avenue had the charge been laid under them.

Vangelon went into ice California hotel. McKinnon was there and knowing him as a former shipmate on the Amur, asked him to go and get his bag off the Tees.

Bon't you know we're all union men in Victoria, said McKinnon.

Vangelon said he didn't know. He had

Victoria, said McKinnon.
Vangelon said he didn't know. He had a good jeb and didn't want to leave it.
Tach McKinnon caught want to leave it.
Tach McKinnon caught was a more discounted by the control of the face to sweat. Varge-boy left in a hurry, leaving his cap.
McKinnon wanted to question this witness. "How many times did I hit you?" he asked.
"Twice, myhow," said the witness.

ness. "How many times du I me you' he asked.

"Twice, anyhow," said the witness.
"No. I didn't," said accused. I only hit you once,"
"Gwan," retorted the sailor. You could't black my eye, knock two teeth out and sweri my face with one blow."

The magistrate looked very severely towards McKinnon and the read the taw to him. There was clause after clause tailor which a charge could have been and for the offence, which provided a sentence of thece years. Six weeks with hard labor.

on beam of the society, wisnes to state; though, that he was not doing picket duty.

Seems several witnesses told the story, that Watter and Proctor Snyder, the victims of the alleged assault, and George Little, were wasking down to the steamer Danube on which two were going as deck hands. They carried their bags.

McBride stopped the trio on Wharf street, and asked where they were going. "To the Danube," said Snyder.

"Don't you know there's a strike on that boat?" said McBride.

"I don't care whether there is or not," said Snyder.

"The a striker, you" —there follows a phrase never used in Sunday schools."

Then as Little told it, "he hauded of and smashed Walter Snyder. Proctor Snyder, who was a little way off, range," and grabbed him by the cont collar. He ran at """ as again, builing Proctor Snyder don, fellows." and two or three fellows came. Proctor Snyder let go McBride who made a smash at him, and ran back up Johnson street.

who made a smash at him, and ran back up Johnson street.

Constable Carlow told of aresting Mc-Bride, who was under the influence of fuguor, but not licapable, in fact not at the stage where he would have felt caded thou to arrest him.

Mr. Bodwell appeared on behalf of the presecution, and Mr. Powell for the defence. Officials of the B. C. S. S. were present also. The two eness were adjourned until the 15th—as Walter Proctor, one of the witnesses, is absent on the Danube, then due.

ho closon, and McCallum could not prove that he existed.

Mr. Rose was called. Mr.Callum sent for him to clear up this matter, but he couldn't.

All that Mr. Rose knew was that he saw one Barret with Callum. Barret had a sack tied up fifteen inches from the top, and the contents were chunky, hard and compact; he was sure they were not saws, more like food or clothes. That's all he knew. He didn't know Gibson.

Well Gibson gave me the saws, that's all, says McCallum.

But the Cadl hears many a better told dale, and be thought that three months with Warden John was the right medicine for Mr. McCallum.

Woo Sang, of Cormorant street, has been doping himself into the belief that he is buncoing the revenue tax collector. When the gets certain documents signed by the Cadi this morning he will have another taink coming.

Cadi this morning he will have another taluk coming.

Woo Sang is a tallor who has two men in the comploy. Mr. Carter has been visiting thin many times to collect for the two men on behalf of the province—but, all he has ever got is "no money now, you come to behalf of the province—but, all he has ever got is "no money now, you come to more the two vanished. When Mr. Carter ceiled, Woo said he had no more men now—"times too hurd." However, he would hay his own tax. He got a receipt. Then are sent word to the two men to come held, the collector had been buncoed. But Mr. Carter was on the watch—and that is why he has secured an invitation for Woo to some to the Cadi's court on Tuesday next...—O SCIATIO RHEUMATISM CURED.

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Notice to Creditors

In the Matter of the Estate of John Joshua Russell, Deceased. In the Matter of the Estate of John Joshua Russell, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given pursuant to "the Trustee and Executors" Act," that all creditors and others having claims against the estate of John Joshua Russell, late of this city, who died on the 20th March, 1896, are hereby required to send by mail of deliver to the executor, R. T. Williams, of Yates street, Victoria, on or before the 4th day of May, 1903, full particulars of their claims duly verified, and the nature of the securities, if any, held by them.

inem.

And notice is hereby given that after the And notice is hereby given that after the ist mentioned date the executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the decased among the parties entitled thereto. Living regard only to the claims of which is shall then have had notice, and that the executor will not be liable for the said assets or any part thereof, to any person or persons of whose claims notice shall not have been received by him at the time of such distribution.

Dated at Victoria, B. C., this 26th day of March, 1903.

J. M. BRADBURN,

J. M. BRADBURN,
Five Sisters' Block, Victoria, B. C.,
Solicitor for the Executor.

TENDERS FOR GOVERNMENT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

3 1-2 Per Cent. Debentures.

Tenders will be received by the Canadia Tenders will be received by the Canadian Bank of Commerce, Victoria, up to the 20th of April, 1903, for the purchase of \$204,000 Government of British Columbia Dykins Debentures, in denominations of \$1,000, issued under authority of the "Public Dykins Act," bearing interest at the rate of 170 per cent per annum, payable halt-yeary, at the Government Treasury, Victoria, on the 1st January and 1st July, in each year; the Principal redeemable in 35 years from the 1st of Juls. 1902.

Tenders to state the price net. Interest will be payable from the date on which the purchase money is deposited at the Canadian Bank of Commerce, Victoria. The Brok, acting under instructions from the government, reserves the right of accentance of any tender.

Municipal Notice

SEWER RENTAL AND SEWER CONSTRUCTION TAX.

Public notice is hereby given that under the provisions of "The Sewer By-Law, 192", the roil for the year 1903 has been prepared and filed in my office, showing the owner and occupier, if any, of lands and real property fronting upon each branch, main, or common sewer, or drain the owner and occupier, if any, of lands and real property fronting upon each branch, main, or common sewer, or drain laid in the city of Victoria, and showing the number of feet frontage of the land of each owner or occupier so fronting, and giving the name and address of each owner, and of the occupier, and also giving the amounts each one is assessed in respect to sewer rental and sewer connection, tax, which are to be paid according to the said By-Law. Any person whose name appears therein may petition the Council 'manner hereinafter mentioned, viz: 'Any person dissatisfied with the number of feet frontage with which he is assessed upon such roll, whether upon the ground that the measurement is incorrect, or that the land and real property are not liable to taxarion or are inequitably assessed under the provisions of this liy-Law, may, not later than the 1st day of April in each year petition the Council for an alteration in such roll, and shall state his grounds for requiring an alteration.'

An extension of the time by which petitions of appeal as above may be received is granted until the 25th day of April, A. D., 1903.

CHAS, KENT,

Treasurer and Collector.

City/Treasurer and Collector's Office, City
Hall, Victoria B. C.

In the Supreme Court of British Columbia in the Matter of the Lenora-Mount Sick or Copper Mining Company, Jointed Non-Personal Liability, and in the Mat-ter of the Winding-Up Act and Amend-ing Acts.

ing Acts.

The Housersble Mf. Justice Irving has by an order lated the 15th day of December, Applied John Samuel Henry Mg. 10000, appointed John Samuel Henry Mg. 10000, appointed John Samuel Henry Mg. 10000, applied to be official liquidator of the above-named Company.

Dated the 18th day of December, A. D. 1902. B. H. TYRWHITT DRAKE.

LAND REGISTRY ALT.

In the matter of the application of Albert Edward Todd for a Certificate of Indefeasible Title to part 6 22-100 acres of Section Sixty-Eight (68) Victoria District, delineated on the Map or Plan attached to a certain Deed of Conveyance, dated 18th Novewber, 1889, and made between Helen McLean of the one part, and Thomas Earle of the other part.

Notice is hereby given that a Certificate of Indefeasible Title to the above hereditaments will be issued to Albert Edward Todd on the 7th day of May, 1903, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to me in writing by some prison claiming an estate of interest therein of in some part thereof.

S. Y. WOOTTON.

Regist, etc. energl.

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Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works Lands and Works Department, Victori B. C., 26th March, 1903.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the matter of the estate of George Edgar Gilroy Brown, deceased, Intestate.

TAKE NOTICES that administration of the estate of George Edgar Gilroy Brown, deceased, who died at the City of Victoria. R. C., on the 14th day of February, 1903, was granted on the 12th day of March, 1903, to Joseph Henry Brown.

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LEAVES VICTORIA 5 P.M. Spokane, April 2, 14, 26.

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REDISTRIBUTION. The Redistribution Bill just introduced in the Dominion parliament emphasises in a most marked way the movement of population in Canada. Quebec, as we all know, is the pivotal province, its representation remaining fixed at 65 members. The effect of this rule during the last decade has been to increase the unit of representation from 22,900 to 25,367. Ontario has thereby lost 6 seats, Nova Scotia 2, New Brunswick 1, and Prince Edward Island 1, a total loss of 10 seats. This, however, has not loss of 10 sents. This, however, has not involved any diminution in the membership of the House. In fact, if we count the Yukon member as an addition, though not made under the Redistribution Bill, there will be one member more in the House under the new regime than there was under the old. The Northwest Territories have gained six seats, Manitoba three, and British Columbia one. It may be mentioned in passing that British Columbia's increase in population is not reflected in the Redistribution Bill, the province only now for the first time coming under the unit of representation principle, and having cess of population under the terms of union. In adjusting the representation of the NorthWest Territories, the government was not bound by the census. ernment was not bound by the census. They have been given 10 members, though only strictly entitled to 6. It may be that the fixed delusion that they are, and will remain a stronghold of the Liberal party has had something to do with this generous treatment. But the result is a happy one, and the ostensible reason quite sufficient to amply justify it. In introducing the Bill, Sir Wilfrid Laurier said: "We want to give the Northwest Territories very extensive representation in the House, because we want to make it an object for all these newcomers to desire to take the oath of allegiance, and to become British subjects, to take upon themselves the responsibilities and advantages of Canadians." That, everyone will admit, is the dignified expression of a wise and statesmanlike policy. The net result of the changes which have taken place in Canada during the last ten years is to alter the incidence of representation between East and West by 21 votes in a House of 214 members. Canada in this matter of representation is very for-tunately governed by a mechanical principle which causes the political centre of gravity to move freely and truly to its proper position every decade. In a country so large as Canada, where the consideration of sectional interests might very easily become vested in the maintenance of sectional privilege, this is an adequate and very necessary guarantee against sectional tyranny and eventual disruption. We do not now get fair play in the West. The revenues of Canada are frequently squan-dered in places where this lavish expenditure corrupts the political in-dependence of the people at the same time as it destroys their initiative in developing the natural resources lying at their doors. If such conditions were capable of perpetuation, it would be a black lookout for Canada, because the West would eventually become soured and rebellious under continuous injustice without hope of remedy. But as it is, this remarkable change in the incidence of representation contains a note of warning to all politicians and political parties aspiring to control the destinies of the country, that they must find the prosperity of the East in a forward policy for the development of the West. There is no likelihood of the movement of population disclosed in the last census altering its character during th sus aftering its character during the next least decade. On the contrary, it is likely to increase in significance. We refer not merely to the increase of population in the West, but also to the increase in the provisions of the Small Holdings Bill: but let the area be small or great, when to send up trial balloons to find out to send up trial balloons to find out the man, but he also permits his friends to send up trial balloons to find out the West, but also to the increase in the unit of representation rendered likethe measure becomes law the governwhether he is the man whom the office ly by developments in Quebec. The opening up of the West is likely to bring a vast accession of trade, commerce and manufactures to the St. Lawrence river. ing which information the most minute Canada is no longer content to see her inland commerce drained into New York, Boston, and Portland, as maritime ports. Every movement towards increased prosuitable for various kinds of products, and adaptable to various tastes, will be increased prosuitable for various tastes, will be independent of the strong views on the independent of the product increased commercial prosperity and in-creased population along the shores of is far and away ahead of anything that the Sf. Lawrence river in the province of Quebec. Prior to 1001 there were 17 members of Parliament elected West of the province of Ontario. From now on there will be 28, and it is a fair assumption that the government con, as settlers of the province of Ontario. From now on the province of Ontario. From n there will be 28, and it is a fair assumption that the population of this great country will double in ten years. From 1891 to 1901 it increased from 327 478 1891 to 1901 it increased from 327,478 to 592,808 people, exclusive of the population of the Yukon. At the present time it is increasing by immigration alone much faster than by 100,000 people per annum. Yet that rate would be all that would be required to triple in-stead of doubling it in ten years. It is difficult to obtain a realizing sense of the development the present decade has in store for Western Canada, but when

There is a lull in the Ontario political storm. The thunder factory in Toronto has been shut down for a week or two.

we do catch a glimpse of it, we appre-hend in a dim way what tremendous

changes are in store for us.

Industrial unrest is not confined to North America. Russia, Belgium and Rome seem to be getting their share

Mr. R. L. Borden will hardly antagonize the West by suggesting that a preferupon British manufactures coming into Canada should be accompanied by a preference on Canadian wheat going SETTLING THE PROVINCE.

position criticized. As correspondent of

The bill brought down by message to ample publicity to anything confided to the legislature, entitled the Small Hold-ing Act, deserves more than passing him for that purpose. And most things notice, because it is intended to bring were so confided to him because the sources of his information were always kept inviolate. Hence he was a most into effect a new and almost radical principle of dealing with the lands of useful man to the diplomat who thought he province both public and private he could gain a diplomatic advantage If it were not for the peculiar conditions which exist in the province, and the obvious importance of giving a new by publishing anonymously what his diplomatic opponents were doing. The diplomat who wished to use publicity turn to the development of our agrias a diplomatic weapon found a concultural resources and diverting some of venient instrument in Monsieur the rush of settlers Westward to Brit-Blowitz-and so did the other diplomat. ish Columbia, we should hesitate in ex-pressing an opinion on its merits with-In addition to this, de Blowitz possessed the journalistic knack of, from a small out giving much more serious consideration to its provisions than is possible bone of hint or suggestion, reconstructing the whole skeleton of political intrigue, and of doing it correctly, nor was he only content to publish what he was told, he added thereto whatever he other administration has undertaken to could discovered by any means in his solve, and we commend the government nower. By these methods he so grew in its resolve to do something to bring into the tangled web of international about a better state of affairs. We have a contempt for the class of legispolitics, that he acquired great influence and, in a peculiar degree, typified in his lator that is afraid to do something own person the power of the press. This without precedent, and although we are leads his critic to make some general renot aware that any similar measure is flections upon the political power of the press. "There is nothing," he says, on the statute books of the other provinces, or in force in other countries, a measure must be judged by its adap-tability to the special requirements to "more dangerous to a state than a diplomatist without responsibility, who, indeed, is more highly rewarded in probe met, and in this case we believe the portion to his indiscretion. A journalist may say what he chooses without fear bill in question is decidedly in the right direction. Without the necessary exof impeachment. The heaviest disaster planation of the Minister of France which will no doubt be forthcoming that can fall upon him is the loss of his salary; and nothing is more foolish on the second reading we are somewhat than that unqualified person should go up and down the world, affecting to in the dark as to how the government propose to inaugurate the work under govern when they know nothing of the the act when passed, but we assume that art of government. At no time in our history has the press arrogated more amply conferred on the Executive thereby to first demonstrate by experiment the possibilities of success, and then to submit a measure with provisions in greater detail. For the purpose the government has in view, a land bill, such bad." In the first place it may be noted that the political power of the press has been gained by the readiness of polifor instance as the Imperial government has recently submitted in British House ticians and diplomatists to use the press when it suits their purpose. The press of Commons, with claborate machinery has become the master of politics and complicated details, would be a very through its utility as the servant of great mistake and seriously hamper the politicians. The process began through discretion which the Government should politicians dictating to the press when be permitted to exercise in giving it tentative effect. A competent Board of they expected thereby to gain some advantage. But the advantages of pub-Land Commissioners left to exercise the good common sense of its members will advantages of publicity. The object of be much more apt to do the right thing the newspaper being to publish correct than if all sorts of restrictions and limi-tations were imposed at the outset. As information, it is likely to disregard the ulterior purpose with which such inforno one can fairly be expected to foremation is divulged. When the critic of see at the present time just how a mea-Monsieur de Blowitz goes on to say that sure such as this is, or might be under the press is irresponsible, that it is un-qualified, and that its influence is wholly any other drafting, will work out in actual practice, it is much better to bad, he shows a libelous ignorance of a profession to which from his signature make the provisions as general as possible, more especially as every possible he apparently aspires to belong. The care has been taken to prevent the press is responsible to public opinion in the highest and most delicate degree. province from being involved in serious financial responsibility in any way. A journalist might as well retort that a politician or diplomatist is irresponsi-The powers which it is proposed to vest in land commissioners to clear, drain, and irrigate land and so forth, ble because all that can happen to him is the loss of his salary or career. The which we presume will be exercised in an contributors to a newspaper are anony experimental way, will do much to demous, but the newspaper itself is not onstrate how far the government may anonymous. It has responsibility due be justified in going in that direction. to its character and position, which permeates every utterance, and which If it can be shown for instance that by improved methods of clearing land by machinery on a comprehensive scale the exacts penalties for neglect at once sum nary and severe. When our critic goes on to say that the press is unqualified cost of clearing can be reduced to onethird of its present cost, it will mean the bringing into cultivation of a very for the influence it possesses, he flounders still deeper in the mire. That in-fluence is built up by the survival of large amount of land in the present accessible and settled districts, which is the fittest under a most searching and ruthless competition. A false note in the press immediately diminishes its unproductive, and a burden to its owners, and justify the government in undertaking for the settlers we have at power, more rapidly and more finally than a false step destroys a politician the present time, as well as for those to or a diplomatist, who are to some extent come in the future, what has been urged for a long time as most desirable protected by the conventional safeguards and necessary. of their professions. When he concludes that the influence of the press is wholly a mistake of policy to undertake such bad, he merely expresses the ignorant work in behalf of individuals without reference to a system that would apply and futile objection of some diplomatgenerally. Hence the wisdom of the present proposed legislation. Not ists and politicians to the curb upon proposed the bill, if it be not the most important, is that providing for the survey and reconnaissance of districts already accessible, that under improved conditions may be available for settlement. This is the most important step that has yet been taken in connection with the public domain, and is a complete verification of the promise made by the Premier in his manifesto and public addresses. It is what the province has wanted for some time—accurate and definite information about the resources we already have at our door. As soon as the districts in the interior are opened up by railway, the government can turn its attention to the large fertile areas which exist there. In the meantime let us develop what we have near at hand. It is claimed that there are at least half a million acreas in the available and that there are at least half a million acreas in the available and that there are at least half a million acreas in the available for the survey and reconnaissance of districts already accessible, that under improved conditions subject in the last analysis to the intends to the last analysis to the intends that there are at least half a million acreas the provision of the provision of the promise made by the Premier in his manifesto and public addresses. It is what the province has wanted for some time—accurate and definite information about the resources we already have at our door. 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develop what we have near at hand.

It is claimed that there are at least as Joseph Martin, His letter recks with is seeking. For it is inconceivable that he did not know what was going on, and, if he did know and did not approve, he put his friends in a very false position. What possessed him to write as he has done to Joseph Martin we find difficulty in imagining. Naturalpendence of provincial parties of the Ottawa official clique. That might unfit him for leadership in New Brunswick, We lumbia. Mr. Smith's insistence upon this point leaves him open to the obvious retort that if he has handed over the labor interests in British Columbia The he was elected to represent, to the sympathetic keeping of Sir William Mulock, Sir Wilfrid Laurier, and Clifgin of safety, and does not appear to take any serious risks. The issue of ford Sifton, that hardly entitles him to read Joseph Martin out of the Liberal party because he declines to deliver the same tender mercies. One effect of Ralph Smith's letter will be to give the in British Columbia its coup de grace. It always was a sham, but latterly it has become such a hollow pretence, that even Ralph Smith thinks it no longer worth while to keep it up.

ment will be in a position to offer some-

thing definite to settlers, even if it only be a tract 1,000 acres in extent, regard-

but on first sight they appear to be as

government has left itself a wide mar-

land bonds at four per cent, will afford a very attractive form of investment

for small capitalists and trustee funds,

and these will undoubtedly be placed on

the market at a premium from the out-

set. Of course, in any scheme of the

kind, there will be a loss in the actual

bility of loss is reduced to a minimum; and will be if it occurs many times

compensated for in the general benefits

to be derived. We await with interest the exposition of the measure by the

First Minister when it comes up for

THE POWER OF THE PRESS.

In an article in Macmillan's Magazine

on that remarkable man, Monsieur de Blowitz, the causes which elevated him

to the extraordinary position he occu-pied in Continental European politics

working, although we confess the lia-

practical as they are ingenious.

Great indignation has been expressed in the English press at the appeals made for subscriptions in support of Canadian churches to the people of England. The newspapers point out that the people of Canada are individually and collectively befter off than the people of Great Britain, and should be able to support their own churches.

Henry Clews and company expect to see a "downward drift" in Stock Exare given, and the use he made of that change prices for some time to come.

The Toronto Globe makes the horrifying disclosure that gambling is apparently protected in Toronto. It tells the story of a young man who was arrested and punished for gambling, or rather for gambling in an "unsafe" place. It speaks of a gambling house existing, and having existed for years "openly and unmolested." Yet what noble, manly, plainspoken, and well-meant words of admonition and reproof the saintly peo-ple of Toronto have from time to time addressed to the lawless and immoral West. Motes and beams! motes and eams!

Mr. Smith Curtis is at it again. His method of securing the Natal Act by tagging it on to the Supply Bill is in-genious, but wholly impracticable. To say to the Dominion government "Allow our legislation or we will deprive our-selves of Supply" would be an empty It would also make it ver doubtful whether the province could make any disbursements so long as it maintained that course. Supply would maintained that course. Supply would always be either disallowed or in process of being disallowed. The strange thing about Mr. Curtis is that he proposes some nonsensical and wholly present the strange of the proposes. posterous method of reaching some de sirable end, and then attacks everyone who will not adopt his method as insincere in the desire to attain the end

A line of argument has been adopted in the Shakespeare Bacon controversy which makes against the supposition than Bacon wrote the plays of Shakes peare. It has frequently been shown that Bacon and Shakespeare used words not found anywhere else, and this has been cited as proof of their identity. But these may have been "faddy" words influence to itself than at present, and influence to itself than at present, and though it is still over sanguine, the influence which it does possess is wholly Murray has shown that Shakes peare uses fifty-four verbs with "out" as a prefix, such as "outdo" and "outrun," while Bacon only uses two. This seems to point to an inherent difference in the everyday vocabulary of Bacon's writings and Shakespeare's plays, which almost precludes the idea of the writers being identical.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

ISLAND RAILWAY SURVEY.

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Sir.—With reference to the projected Island railway survey, with Hardy Bay as a terminus, I would like to point out that Hardy Bay is not a safe harbor. Its description in the pages of the British Columbia Pilot is as follows:

"Hardy Bay, westward of Beaver Harbor, separated from it by Dillon point, indent the coast in a southerly direction for four miles; it terminates in a narrow creek one and a quarter miles long, and two to four cables broad, with a sand bank extending off its head for three-quarters of a mile. The shores of the bay are rugged, and off the west side near the bead, are some outlying rocks. There is no anchorage except in a small creek at the head, which is difficult of access and should not be used by a stranger. Masterman Islands, off the northeast point of the bay, about three-quarters of a mile from number; foul ground exists between them and the shore."

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Str.—Having read a paragraph in the Daily Colonist of the above date, under the heading, "Fistic Encounter," which is states that a Douglas street baroer and his assistant quarreled and fought, and, fearing that the general public might construct the article to imply to myself, who am in the barbering business on Douglas street, I wish to state that I had no such encounter with my assistant, nor did the stid you in anticipation.

1. J. MATTHEWS.

101 Douglas street.

101 Douglas street.

GOOD FRIDAY.

Sir.—In your issue of today a paragraph states that the teams of the Colegiate School and the Capital City will pay a return match of Rugby football on Good Friday. I have not been consulted about this, and will not, for a moment, countenance the boys of my school taking part in a match on that day.

J. W. LAING, M. A.

Head Master Collegiate School.

COAL STRIKES.

ing shyster, however, could not deceive Mr. James Dunsmulr, whose forecast is undoubtedly correct, and who does not mean to allow any alten association to dominate the men of his own mines, even although these unfortunate men do not see what fools they could be made. The American government possesses an allen not to keep Canadians out of the United States. The government here should pass a bill to take away the franchise from any miner who becomes a member of an American union. Way? Because that man's affiliation will be used not to protect him, but to cripple the coal mining industry of Canada whenever it shall seen to be for the luterest of the Western Federation of Labor to do so, and seeing that the British Columbia coal miner is willing to be deceived, it is the duty of the provincial government to protect the general public and the industry of the province by suitable legislation. I assume that no sensible member of the Provincial Housewould vote against the direct interests of his own country.

DAY-BREAK AT SEA.

(Home Thoughts on the Pacific Ocean.)
Fair Mittle heads, good-night,
Each on its pislow white!
My thoughts come rishting you all un
known;
And trench a garden deep
About the place of sleep.
And was the flowers that bloom at dusl
alone—

atione—
Lillies that sigh and move,
Voices that eall in love
From hidden regions little known today—
Faces of friends to be,
Shapess of Fibernity
That stand unseen about your hourly way.

Warm little hands, good-night! Meet in the dim star-light Hands that were late your own, and still, shall be! Brave little feet that stray, Though you forget all day. In dreams your steps will come a-seeking me!

me:

Hush, little tongues, good-night!
You flame that starts so bright!
Above the verge vou call the Setting Sun!
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And earth is not so wide
While setting sun and rising sun are one!
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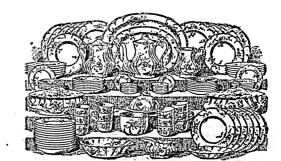
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Lord's Supper will be administered at 3 p.m. At Sidney the services commence at 730 p.m.

Preparing for Conference.—Preparations are being made for making out the official programme of the conference which take place on May 14. The committee will meet tomorrow. The Rev. E. E. Seott, president of the conference; Rev. J. P. Hicks, secretary, and the Rev. E. S. Rowe, D.D. are the chief members who will draft the programme.

Puget Sound Railway.—The latest meeting of the Brush and Camera. "—An enjoyable meeting of the Brush and Camera Club was held yesterday evening at the residence of S. Machire, the subject discussed being "Evening." It had been fornia, and that the Union Pacine will build to Callibration to Taget Sound to company the sound to company the conference of S. Machire, the subject discussed being "Evening." It had been fornia, and that the Union Pacine will now the should present studies of scenes photographed at the close of for Oriental traille. This is a very important rumor, for should it be very tary, and the Rev. E. S. Rowe, D.D. are the chief members who will draft the programme.

Our Illustrations.—The Colonist has

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Another Big Month,—The B. C. Permanent Loan & Savings Company received from its borrowers and shareholders in the month of March the sum of \$33,652.23. This is the best month in the history of the Company except one, and proves that the various strikes throughout the Province have had very little effect upon the progress and growth of this Company. The Assets of the Company are now over three-quarters of a million dollars.

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Selze the opportunity. Do not neglect it. "There is a time in the affairs of man," st. Company, comfort and consolation may be obtained if you purchase at Campbell & Culliu's.
Go. to C. & C. C. & C., do you see? Selze on the suggestion. This is the right season. Cor. Government and Trouace tyenue. Telephone 12.

THE STRAND HOTEL.

Clearing House Returns—The total growth of the first state of the stat

200 pairs trousers, just received. Prices

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New Kid Gloves Leading Shades

Latest Parisian Styles,

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If you have any timepleces or jewelery needing repairs, let us have them, and they will be returned to you in a perfectly satisfactory condition, as we guarantee that any watch or clock that is worth tental ring through our hands. Old jewelery repaired, re-made into modern styles at reasonable prices.

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VICTORIA, B.C.

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Received Today New Grass Linens, New Zephyrs, New Or-

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New Spring Coats



Race Meet

At Colwood

An Excellent Programme Prepared for Easter Monday's Big Event.

The Entries Exceptionally Large The Programme in Full.

There is an exceptionally large list of en-rics for the Victoria Hunt Club meet at followed park on Easter Monday, and, as he entire programee is an exceptionally god one, the event promises to excel ail ormer ones in Importance and success. If he clerk of the weather only favors the tchering with good chanate conditions, a ery enjoyable time is assured the hun-reds who will be in attendance. The fifth Regiment band will be on hand gring the afternoon and render a special rogramme of music. A special train ser-lec has been arranged for, a train leaving the E. & N. depot at 1:45 p. m. and return ig will leave Colwood after the finish of he has trace. The programme in full is as 110ws:

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Italicy Park Plate.

Ist Race. 2:15.—A steeplechase for croses, the bona fide property at the time of entry of member of the V. H. C. Any number of the lub or rider licensed way hall follows. It is the committee, entitled to ride. Weight 150 lbs. Licensed rider to carry a 7-bb atom 150 lbs. Licensed rider to carry a 7-bb atom 150 lbs. Licensed rider to carry a 7-bb atom 150 lbs. Licensed rider to carry a 7-bb atom 150 lbs. Licensed rider to carry a 7-bb atom 150 lbs. Licensed rider to carry a 7-bb atom 150 lbs. Licensed rider to carry a 7-bb atom 150 lbs. Licensed rider to carry a 7-bb atom 150 lbs. Licensed rider to carry a 7-bb atom 150 lbs. Licensed rider to carry a 7-bb atom 150 lbs. Licensed rider to carry a 7-bb atom 150 lbs. Licensed rider to carry a 7-bb atom 150 lbs. Licensed rider to carry a 7-bb atom 150 lbs. Licensed rider to carry a 7-bb atom 150 lbs. Licensed rider rider.

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2nd Race, 2:15—A steeplechase for horses the bona dde property of members of the Victoria Hunt Club. Riders to be members of the club or Ikensed by the committee Weights not under 150 lbs. Distance about two miles. Entrance fee \$2.50. Prize, a cub.

Mr. J. M. Bradburn's bay g. Sugarloaf ed. Scarlet, green sleeves and cap. L. H. Garnett, rider. L. H. Garnett, rider. L. L. French's bay g. Rufus, aged. Light e, dark blue sash and cap. Lt. Cal-op. R. N., rider. Lt. Cameron's grey g. Pharoah, aged ite and yellow, yellow cap, black sash. ner, rider.

Hunt Club Cup. Hunt Crib Cup.

3rd Race, 3:15.—An open flat race for orses. Weight 140 lbs. Distance about no mile. Four starters or no race. Prize cup, to be won outright, second horse verse entrance fee. Entrance fee \$2.50. I. Mr. bruke's ch. g. Grey Friar, 5 years. Cerise and black. Lt. Calthrop, R. N., tidor

Mr. Simon's kh. m. Montana Maid, . Royal blue and cardinal. Owner, r. Lt. Blandy's bay m. Jezebel, aged. k green, light blue sash and cap. Mr. Taylor's ch. g. Dr. Maclean, 6 rs. Yeflow, black boops, yellow and 4. mr. yerrs. Yeflow, black toops, black cap. 5. Mr. T. P. Patton's ch. g. Thunder, aged. Old rose and Nile green. Owner,

der. Pony Race.

4th Race, 3:45.—An open pony race (disance handlenp, one mile for scratch
onles) Catchweights, Entrance fee, S2,
rize, a cup presented by Capt Casement,
X, and the officers of H. M. S. Am-

sion.

1. Lt. Moore's cream g. Jacob, aged. Eton tie, primrose sleeves and cap.

2. Capt. Casement's black g. Blackie, ted. Light blue, darw blue sash and cap.

5. Lt. Elliott's bay m. Dalsy, aged. arlet, dark blue sceeves and cap.

4. Capt. Casement's bay g. Brownie, ted.

aged.

5. Lt. Blandy's ch. m. Chubby, aged.

br. k green, light blue sleeves and cap.

6. Mr. Johnston's b. w. g. Irish Laddy,

ged. Light blue, dark blue sash and cap.

7. Mr. T. P. Paton's b. m. Mary Anderson, aged. Old rose and Nile green.

78. Mr. Langworthy's br. g. Frank L.,

12cd. Blue, plnk sleeves and sash, blue ap.

cap.

d. Mr. Williams' bay m. Refina, aged,
Navy blue and gold.

10. Mr. A. C. Holland's ch. g. Punch,
and Sacalat graph sleeves and cap. Mr. L. H. Garnett, rider Tandem Roce.

Tandem Roce.

5th Race, 4:15.—Open tandem race, one-e round flat course, drive one, ride the other, catchweights. Entrance fee \$2.00. Prize, a flask. Post entries to clerk of the scales, Farmers' Race.

6th Race, 4:45.—A flat race of about one mile for horses bred in E. C., the bona flde property of farmers who are not members of V. H. C. Elders must be bona flde farmers, their sons or members V. H. C. Catchweights. Former winners barred. Post entries to clerk of the scales. Five starters or no race. 1st prize, \$12.50; 2nd prize, \$2.50.

TO INCREASE YOUR WEIGHT.

If won are thin, weak and emaclated and want to increase your flesh and weight, you should try Dr. Chase's Nerve Food. You can feel it doing you good from day to day, as it strikes at the root of trouble and creates new rich blood. You can prove that it builds up new tissae and adds flesh if you weigh yours the while using it.

FIFE BEST REMIDDY FOR CROUP.

(From the Atchlson, Kan., Daily Globe.)

This is the season when the woman who knows the best remedles for croup is in demand in every neighborhood. One of the most terrible things in the world is to be awakened in the middle of the night byta whoop from one of the children. The craup remedles are almost as sure to be season to be lost in case of burgers of Geess are not very good to eat, but they are not very good to put on a clott and tie armed its good to put on a clott and the armed he nearly always have goose grease on hand. Most children, when they have creup, refuse to take the remedies offered them. The only thing to do is to told told most of the properties of the properties of the properties. The course and make them take it. There used to be an old fashloned remedy for croup, known as hive syrup and tolu, but some modern mothers say that Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is better, and does not cost so much. It causes the patient to "throw up the palegm" quicker, and gives relief in a shorter time. THE REST REMEDY FOR CROUP

UNCLE REUBEN'S SOLIDOQUY. uncle hedben's solihodur.

"They may say what they please, but disten—hear me: I've taken all kinds of inxatives, purgatives and cathartics, but when it comes to one that is easy and pleasant to take, mild and gentle in its action, and that makes one want an extra silee of bacon for breakfast, just give me Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets and you can have all the laxative sprups, dyspeptal medicines and pile."Hitte or big, there is in this country. Them Tablets sourchy do make one feel joyful."

LOCAL NEWS.

Amateur Photography.—The management of the entertainment to be given on the 22nd instant, in the school room of the Reformed Episcopal church, are sending out invitations to amateur photography with the control of th tog aphers with requests for samples their work, so as to make an exhibit amateur photography a feature of t affair.

Mrs. Bishop Dead.—The death occurred last evening of Mrs. Eliza Elizabeth Bishop—relict of the late Caich Bishop—at No. 84 John street, Rock Bay, at the age of 75 years and 6 months. The deceased lady was a native of Portsmouth, Hampshire, England. She came to Victoria on September 14, 1870, and leaves one son, Mr. T. F. Bishop, local freight agent of the C. P. N. Company. The funeral is arranged or Saturday afternoon at 2:30, from her son's residence, 84 John street, Rock Bay.

Tennis Club Ball.—Satisfactory progress was reported by all departments at another the committee which has in charge the presentations for the Tennis Club ball at the Assembly rooms on Tuesday evends of the committee which has in charge the presentation for the Tennis Club ball at the Assembly rooms on Tuesday evends of the committee and in attractive features. Preliminary work in the form the matter of decorations has been under the hall will be transformed into a fairy sight and of a new order when the decorations have finished their work. The committee are sparing no efforts to make the evening one of the most memorable of many notable affairs at this hollo, will be doubly welcome to all lovers of cap. I deed, the committee are sparing no efforts to deed, and the sparing just after the close of the Lenten deer.

Troubles of The Chinaman

Intended Increase in Poll-Tax Will Cause Influx to Canada.

Rich Chinese Are Robbed by Corrupt Officials when They Return.

LA GRIP, E HAO CUT THE AVERAGE

Two Hundred Less Scholars every day Duri g March

than February.

Bad weather, la grippe and amateur theatrical practices played havoe with the school attendance last month. There were two hundred less pupils present every day on the average than during February. The percentage was only 83.86 in March, as against 100.64 the month before.

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SMALL HOLDINGS

BILL DARING

Well Considered and Advanced Legislation to Secure Settlement.

Some of the Salient Features of Bill to Meet Province's Listinct Conditions.

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to sorve the prooten of agricultural settlement, was that introduced by the Finance Musster, and which was given its antial reading yesterday, entitled the Small Holdings Act. It has long been apparent that something must be done to secure the settlement of the country by the right class of settlers, and immediate action becomes imperative.

The measure that has been offered to the Legislature may be said to possess in an innovancy bigh degree the merit of originality. It is designed to meet the special and peculialize conditions of this particular province, and while it is unquestionably largely experimental in its scope, and grants wide discretionary powers to the Lieutenant-Governor-in-counce, the House is asked to accept it as an honest effort in the working out of the best possible future of the country.

There are large and undeveloped holdings in the province which it has been ascertained can be obtained a treasonable cost; and by the division of these into holdings of size to suit the necessities and purses of the purchasers, the government nopes to provide for 50,000 families ere the working out of the plan has been competed.

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Of course there may be faults found in the practical testing of the means suggested to meet a present, far from prospective, demand, but these must be corrected as experience brings them into prominence. Bidely summarized the provisions of this important measure may be thus outlined: It is proposed that the Identenant-Governor-in-Council shall have power to create a board of land commissioners consisting of a government official, a practical fand surveyor and one other, for the purposes of carrying out the provisions of the Act.

It is proposed to authorize this board of land commissioners where 500 acres or more land is privately held and which can note land is privately held and which can contained at a reasonable market value for the contained at a reasonable market value for the contained and so so in the bodding, are so in the lighting into land holding, and bearing interest not exceeding lour per cent.

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It is proposed that as soon as a sufficent causher of applications have been received for the purchase of the land upon the terms to be indicated, the board of land emandssioners should have power to purchase such tract or tracts of land, the and-owners to accept bonds at par in payment thereof, the bonds guaranteed by the rovernment and bear 4 per cent interest. The size of holdings not to exceed, except in special cases, 100 acres, or be less ham 10 acres in size, according to the character of the land and conditions, and determined by the board of land commissioners.

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All expenditures except the salaries of government agents or other government officials as approved by the Licentenant officials as approved by the Licentenant forcement fairly apportioned, to be made a traing against the land and to form part of the purchase consideration in eachs case. Owners of holdings so assessed to have right of appeal to a court of revision as already provided for in the Statutes, and a final appeal to lie to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, his decision to be final.

It is to be the duty of the Chief Commission.

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It is to be the duty of the Chief Commis-sioner of Lands and Works to have plans made of each tract of land so acquired, showing extent, character of land, etc.

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The board of land commissioners to act independently under the provisions of the Act and regulations to be framed by the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council, their term of office to last for three years, but the transfer of lands en bloc, the price to be subject to the approval of the Lieutenant-subject to the approval of the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council.

It is preposed that the mode of acquirrang lands in the first place should be to obtain from a land-owner willing to sell, an agreement for 'x months at a price to be exceed by the land commissioner after valuation, which agreement will form an option on such Jand. Applications then to be seeleved from settlers, and as soon as the comparing the property of the land contained to the authorized and a transfer effected.

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THE TRUSTEES IN SESSION

Little Beyond Routine Business Transacted at Regular

Monthly Meeting.

Chairman Drury presided at yesterday evening's regular monthly meeting of the Soshool Bond, and there were present area frustees Mrs. Jenkins, Haffl, alweggett, matson, Jay and Boggs.
Jantor R. W. Margule forwarded a request for more pay, as the dudes were onerous. Trustee Matson moved that he be given an increase of \$5 per month, at was referred to the buildings and grounds committee.

be given an increase of 85 per month. it was referred to the buildings and grounds committee.

The janitor of the Rock Bay school forwarded a letter of the same tenor. He wound cleave next month unless his pay was raised. He will be informed that his services will not be resured after May 1st. Miss Cameron asked for certain small necessities for the South Park school, Referred to the buildings and grounds committee.

Miss Cameron also wrote notifying the board of her intention to go to Roveistoke to attend the teachers' convention, and saked that arrangements de made for a substitute teacher during her absence. Miss witson and Miss Lawson also wrote the same effect. Termission was revolved by the form of the provided by the content of the same effect. Termission was provided by the frequency was sked to be renumerated for his work in preparing plans for attemption of the provided of the work in preparing plans for a tempovements to the grounds of the Hegh School. Referred to the buildings and grounds committee.

George Phillips, on behalf of the management of the tycle of Musical Festivals, asked for the use of a number of charge in the Deril half. Granted.

Principal Pau, of the High School, wrote as follows:

COLLEGE AND HIGH SCHOOL F. H. Eaton, Esq., Secretary Board of Governors, Victoria College.

COLLEGE AND HIGH SCHOOL.

F. H. Eaton, Esq., Secretary Board of Governors, Victoria College.

Sir,—In order that enquiries as to the facilities for secondary education offered by tass city may be may and expeditiously absenced, it would be convenient, if not necessary, to issue a calendar of the Victria College and High School, Indicating the course of study therein pursued, and string other particulars. It will be need a recommendation of the produced, that door and decondation is a produced, that door can decondation is a recommendation of the nature and scope of the instruction to be given in this school should be arrived at and the statement of the instruction to be given in this school should be arrived at and the statement of the school should be arrived at and the statement of the departmental junior, instrumediate, and senior examinations, and i expect at next teachers' examination to present at least one candidate for the senior academic certificate. In addition to preparation for these examinations, bookkeeping and typewriting are provided for the senior academic certificate. In addition to preparation for these examinations, bookkeeping and typewriting are provided for all pupils in the High school section.

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judicious choice of suspects are in the ed.

I hope you will pardon me if, in the above remarks I seem to have wandered from the subject of fills letter, which is a request that the board of governors of the Victoria College will be so good as to take into consideration the advisability of issuing a college calendar, which request I beg that you will be so good as to fay interes them.

Adopted.

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Tenders for placing an iron fence around the High School grounds were received from Thomas Caterall, 5348; Christic & Spofford, \$422.50; A McCrimmon, \$397. The contrast was awarded to Mr. Caterall.

On Trustic Boggs calling attention to a complication which has arisen respecting p'umbing at the Rock Bay school, Trustee Jay gave notice that at a future meeting he would urge the desirability of an architect being employed to superintend all improvements made in the public school buildings.

At suggestion of Sunt Ferrare.

provements made in the public school buildings.

At suggestion of Supt. Eaton, the bourd instructed the secretary to convey tunuks, to teachers and publis, mayor. Laddes of Friendly Heip and Aberdeen Association, Chief Watson and staff, Mr. St. Clair, Mr. Johnson, Messrs. Nesbitt, and the press, for kind nesistance in making the children's exhibition the huge success it was.

Supt. Eaton acknowledged the receipt of a set of Encycloped'a Britannica for the High School and was instructed to thank the donor.

The following resolutions were passed:

"Whereas this board desires to encourage the physical development of the pupils of all the schools. Therefore, resolved, that the building and grounds or minimize he requested to secure costinate of the cost of a set of parallel bars for the following schools: South Park, North Ward, Victoria West."

"That the City Council be requested to

, The High-Grade Food

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LOCAL AGENTS J. H. BAKER JOHN FULLERTON H. E. MUNDAY

VICTORIA, B.C.

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No man should be weak; no man should suffer the loss of that vital element which renders life worth living. No man should allow himself to become less a man than nature intended him; no man should suffer for the sins of his youth. You need not suffer. The very element which you have lost

You need not suffer. The very element which you have lost can be restored. I use an Electric Suspensory for Weak Men. It is FREE with each Bolt.

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I have gained my success by learning how to treat my patients and then curing them. I know how, others do not. I charge nothing for my knowledge, knowing that it helps my business to do all I can for every patient. My patients are my friends. They are building my success.

removing defects as tast as they appeared in actual use, and of supplying features, such as a regulating device, non-burnable electrodes, reversible battery, and of increasing the power of my appliance until it is five times as strong as that of any other electric body appliance on the market. My appliance is conceded to be the only one of the kind which is constructed upon truly scientific lines. Compared with it all other so-called electric belts are the inventions of the blacksmith's hammer.

are the inventions of the blacksmith's hammer.

It is not upon that point, however, that my success has been founded. My immense business is due to my knowledge of the effect of electricity upon the ailments treated, and the best way to obtain that effect. I take every case that comes to me as an individual, and direct the application of my Belt to suit the demands of this particular case. When you consider the tact that the electricity which I supply is life to the organs into which I send it, you can see how I get my results. My success comes from cures. If I did not cure, my business would have worn out long ago, as has the business of every other maker of electric belts. A great many schemers and frauds have gone into the electric belt business because they fancied it was an easy way to make money, and have resorted to very questionable methods at times, but the old adage, "You can't tool all the people all the time," was active in their cases, and they did not last long.

I am always pleased to have people call at my offic when they possibly can.

I am always pleased to have people call at my office when they possibly can. I like to talk to them on this subject, "Electricity;" there is more in it than you think when it is properly applied. I don't want any man's money if I cannot cure him. **EEWARE** of the schemer offering you a Belt for a few dollars or perhaps a "free gift." Many have been tif they got any current at all. I have a large collection of these magnetic bands which have been brought into my office in exchange. My only object in taking them was to demonstrate what a properly applied current will do. I make special inducements to anyone having one of these so-called electric belts.

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NOTE-WE PAY DUTY. SEATTLE Dr. M.C. McLAUGHLIN, 106 Columbia St., SEATILE WASHINGTON

"LAND REGISTRY ALT."

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LEONARD H. SOLLY,
Land Commissioner.

NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia at its British American Dredging Company, Limited, to divert and appropriate the waises of Pine Creek, In: the District of Atlin, in the Province of British Columbia, chare pine Creek, In: the District of Atlin, in the Province of British Columbia, chare Pine Creek, In: the District of Atlin, in the Province of British Columbia, chare Pine Creek, In: the District of Atlin, in the Province of British Columbia, chare Pine Creek, In: the District of Atlin, in the Province of British Columbia, chare Pine Creek, In: the District of Atlin, in the Province of British Columbia, chare Pine Creek, In: the District of Atlin, in the Province of British Columbia, chare Pine Creek, In: the District of Atlin, in the Province of British Columbia, chare Pine Creek, In: the District of Atlin, in the Province of British Columbia, chare Pine Creek, In: the District of Atlin, in the Province of British Columbia, chare Pine Creek, In: the District of Atlin, in the Province of British Columbia, chare Pine Creek, In: the District of Atlin, in extate or interest therefor in some part thereof.

S. Y. WOUTCON.

Registrar-General.

Land Registry Office, Victoria, B. C., 10th Feoruary, 1808.

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Notice is hereby given that a Certificate of Indefasible Title to the above heredd in the control of Indefasible Title to the above heredd on the 7th day of May, 1903, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to me in writink by some person claiming an estate or interest therein or in some part thereof.

Solicitors for Ches Hayward.

Solicitors for Ches Hayward. In the matter of the application of Leon Curtat for x Certificate of indefeasible Title to Lots Three Hundred and Niuety-Six (390), Six Hundred and Five (905) and Six Hundred and Six (900) Victoria City Notice is hereby given that a Certificate of indefeasible Title to the above hereditaments will be issued to Leon Curtat on the 28th day of Sivy, 1903, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to me in writing by some person claiming an estate or interest therefor or in some part thereof.

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FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

NEW YORK MARKETS.

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New York, April 8.—Today's business in the stock exchange barely reached 300,000 starges, which is boack to the fow level of activity for the year. The approaching riple holiagy was an effective influence in keeping acova all speculative activity. The fact that Priday is the date also for the expiration of the Southern Pacific pool, confirmed the disposition to keep out of the market. There is an almost infinite variety of conjectures as to its market effect but there is a well defined suspicion that the managers of the pool have not walted until this time in a falling market to portect themselves against the possible necessities offered. Professional operators cling to the belief that the clearing up of this uncertainty may lead to an awakening of activity in trading. The distinct casing off of the money market yesterday seemed to give no relief from the pressure of liquidation. Today there was distinct relaxation of this pressure to sell and effective support at some points where the selling was continued. Weakness yesterday in the steel stocks was explained by the decrease in net earnings for the past quarter.

New York, April 8.—Options throughout

New York, April 8.—Options throughout the forenoon, in wheat, was strong and higher on expert rumors from Parts cables, small Northwestern reports and general coverings. In the afternoon it advanced on heavy buying by a prominent Chicago house, and closed half a cent net higher. May, 78 5-16 and 794; closed 795; and 794; closed 795; and 794; closed; closed 795; and 794; fost, steady; molasses, firm; pagiron, quiet; copper, nominal; lead, quiet; th, dulf; speker, quiet. | 1008 7.1 | 7.52 5.6 | 1.00 5.8 | 1.722 3.8 | 23 Th. | 0.21 7.2 7.28 5.1 | 12.20 5.9 | 18.07 4.1 | 24 F. | 0.40 7.4 | 7.23 4.4 | 13.13 6.2 | 18.49 4.4 | 25 8.1 | 1.01 7.6 | 7.51 3.6 | 11.12 6.5 | 19.20 4.7 | 26 S. | 1.24 7.9 | 8.23 2.8 | 15.65 6.8 | 20.08 5.1 | 27 M. | 11.48 8.2 | 9.03 2.1 | 15.65 6.8 | 20.08 5.1 | 27 M. | 11.48 8.2 | 9.03 2.1 | 15.65 6.8 | 20.08 5.1 | 27 M. | 11.48 8.2 | 9.03 2.1 | 18.00 7.0 | 21.23 5.9 | 20 W. | 2.40 8.6 | 10.32 1 | 18.00 7.1 | 12.23 5.9 | 20 W. | 2.40 8.6 | 10.32 1 | 18.00 7.1 | 12.23 5.9 | 20 W. | 2.40 8.6 | 10.32 1 | 18.00 7.1 | 12.23 5.9 | 20 W. | 2.40 8.6 | 10.32 1 | 18.00 7.1 | 22.35 6.7 | For time of low water, add 17 minutes to L.W. at Victoria. | Zero of above heights corresponds to 1 | feet in the fairway of Victoria harbor. | Esquimat (at Dry Dock)—From observations during six months, May to October, tompared with simultaneous observations at Vicavia by W. E. N. Denison. n, quiet; copper, nom dull; speker, quiet.

TORONTO MINING EXCHANGE QUO TATIONS. (Furnished by The Stuart Robertson Co., Ltd., Mining Brokers, 23 Broad street.)
Toronto, April 8.—The following were the closing quotations on the Mining Exchange today:

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Fairwiew, 5,000 at 54, 500 at 54, 2,000 at 5, 1,030 at 54, 2,000 at 54, 1,030 at 54, 2,000 at 12½, 1,000 at 12½, 1 ROSSLAND SALES.

Centre Star, 500 at 29½, 500 at 29½, War Eagle, 1,000 at 13½, Carlboo McKinney, 1,000 at 12¼. Hurry Scurry, 3,500 at 1.

THE WEATHER.

Meteorological Offi Victoria, April 8th-8 p SYNOPSIS.

SYNOPSIS.

Low pressure areas from the ocean are passing in succession eastward through the province and the Canadian Northwest, causing unsettled and showery weather west of the Cascades. Snow fell this morning at Barkerville and moderate ratural to the constant of the

For 24 bours from 5 a. m. (Pacific time)

or Mainland: Light or moderate erly winds, partly cloudy and with occasional showers. VICTORIA DAILY RECORD.

Report for 24 hours ending 5 p. m. Ob-rvations taken daily at 5 a. m., noon and WEDNESDAY, APRIL 8, Deg. Deg. 30 Mean. 42 41 Highest 49 40 Lowest 36

Noon... The velocity and direction of the were as follows:

Average state of weather-Fair. Rain-.01 inch.

Sunshine—4 hours, 30 minutes. Parometer at noon—Observed. Corrected.

NEW WESTMINSTER.
Barometer at 5 p. m.-Corrected. ... 29.96

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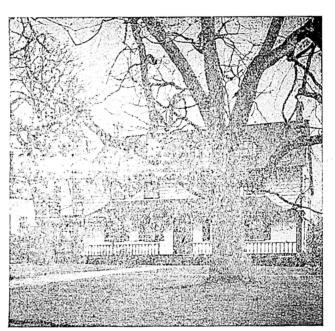
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Mr. Martin Scores the Dominion Government -- Standing Committees Named.

The all-but manimous endorsation of the second reading yesterday of the government "Bill to Regulate Immigration into British Columbia," this being the provincial version of the Natal Act, aiming to exclude Chinese, Japanese and other undesirable immigrants by the provision of an education test, shows the legislators of the province—whatever their general differences—to be a unit in insistence that this self-protective measure must be allowed to stand upon the statute book, unless rendered mnecessary by the adoption of Federal legislation in the same regard. To make the matter stronger, the principle was also approved of, the "bill relating to the employment on works carried on under franchises granted by private acts," this being another re-enactment, designed to render the opportunities for securing employment less advantageous for those of the class the Immigration Act intends to keep out, but who have already gained a foothold in the country. It was the first of these measures that produced the most interesting debate thus far this session, the Premier, with Messre. Tatlow, Hunter, McPhillips, Martin, McBride, Curtis, McInnes and Gilmour participating, and Mr. Martin in particular commanding marked attention when he severely scored the Laurier administration for its persistent denial of British Columbia's rights in this Asiatic question—Senator Templeman coming in for the especial attention of the Vancouver member. Mr. Smith-Curtis made his first appearance of the session, and with the exception of Mr. Helmeken's there is now no vaccant chair.

outine occapied the first hour of the ing. Petitions were presented by Mounce, with respect to a railway a Adams river; by Mr. Dickie (for Ellison) concerning the Pacific thern and Omineca Railway Co., the Pacific Northern and Eastern lway Co.; and by Mr. Stables, for British Columbia Northern and kenzie Valley Railway. The Kooly Central; Morrissey, Fernie and hel Italiway; Kootenay, Cariboo and life Railway; the Vernon and Nelson phone Co. bills passed the reading e; and Mr. Oliver's petition, of A. Anderson and others, was ruled out order, as it involved an expediture abile funds in asking for a road to gley Prairie and Clover Valley. Ils to further amend the Coal Mines alation Act (Provincial Secretary), Prevent Strikes and Lockouts (Proial Secretary), to further amend the Mines Regulation Act (Mr. Green), to amend the Medical Act (Mr. ward), were introduced and received readings, being set for second read-

1), were introduced and received lings, being set for second read-he next sitting of the House. cBride moved for a return re-the proposed leasing of Dead-sland. Burrard Inlet, and Mr. ps for a copy of the judgment rivy Council re Tomey Homma, which were immediately forth-from the minister's interested. yiel were immediately forth-m the minister's interested, custration of readiness on the 's part brought a reluctant of commendation from the leader.

STANDING COMMITTEES.



person or persons besides the Railway Company? If so, to whom, and how many acres to each?

Hon, Mr. Wells replied: (1) Yes, but subsequently 'cancelled; (2) Yes; (3) No; (4) No; (5) Yes; (6) Crown grants have been issued as follows: Kootenay Valley Co., Ltd., 565 acres; Columbia and Kootenay R. and N. Co., Ltd., 2,090 acres; J. A. McDonell, 329 acres; D. H. McAllister, 395 acres; W. B. McLean, 407 acres; George S. McCarter, H. G. Parsons and Robt, Milligan, 602 acres; William Fernic and F. Freeman, 160 acres; M. McCormick, 262 acres; H. A. Kanvase, 430 acres; G. acres; Geo. Walker, 640 acres; O. W. Jones, 307 acres; and S. Graham, 22 acres.

Mr. Oliver asked the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works:

1. Have any applications been received for leasing coal, oil or timber lands fat blocks 4.593 and 4.594. South East Koo-

exist?

2. If so, will the government, in view of the demand for provincial lands and minerals, cancel this reserve?

The Chief Commissioner replied: (1) Yes; (2) The matter has not yet been considered.

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OTHER MEASURES.
Three other government measures also passed their second readings, these standing in the Finance Minister's name. The first, amending the New Westminster Relief Act, was explained to be in the direction of enabling the Royal City to consolidate its debt to advantage, and was heartily endorsed by the opposition leader in passing. The others were merely to permit of latitude in fixing the dates for the annual meeting of the Dairy and Live Stock Association and the Agricultural and Horticultural Societies.

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migrants, and it had been upon his objection in this regard that the Colonial secretary had urged the Natal Act principle. It had been also said that if this act were to be allowed by the Dominion government, Imperial policy would demand its cancellation. This he denied. Strong efforts had been brought to bear upon the Imperial authority to secure the nullification of the Australian statute in precisely the same regard, and the Imperial government had declined to interfere with the rights exercised by that colonial parliament. With a view of these historical circumstances in sequence, he could not see how any man